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In re Application of:

Rueger et al.

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**SUBMISSION OF REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

**UNDER 37 CFR 1.114**

Sir:

This Submission of Request for Continued Examination is in response to the Office Action mailed Sept. 25, 2000, in connection with the above application. This application is currently under Appeal, the Appeal Brief is due on Sept. 5, 2002, with five-month extension of time. The time period for response has been extended to Sept. 5, 2002, by the accompanying petition for a five-month extension of time. Please enter the following amendments:

**In the claims:**

Please cancel claims ~~88~~ and ~~90~~ without prejudice.

For the convenience of the Examiner, all claims being examined, whether or not amended, are presented below.